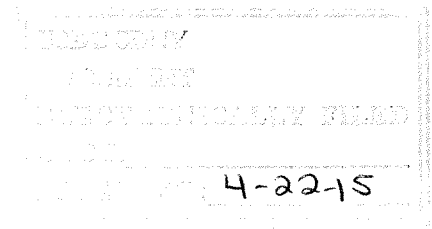


**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK**

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<b>THE EXPORT-IMPORT BANK OF THE REPUBLIC OF CHINA,</b>	:
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<b>Plaintiff/Judgment Creditor/Petitioner,</b>	:
<b>-against-</b>	:
<b>REPUBLIQUE DU NIGER,</b>	:
	:
<b>Defendant/Judgment Debtor,</b>	:
<b>-and-</b>	:
<b>EXELON GENERATION COMPANY, LLC,</b>	:
	:
<b>Respondent,</b>	:
<b>-and-</b>	:
<b>LA SOCIÉTÉ DE PATRIMOINE DES MINES DU NIGER,</b>	:
	:
<b>Interested Third-Party.</b>	:
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**1:97-cv-03090 (LAK) (SN)**

**ORDER**



**ANDREW L. CARTER, JR., United States District Judge:**

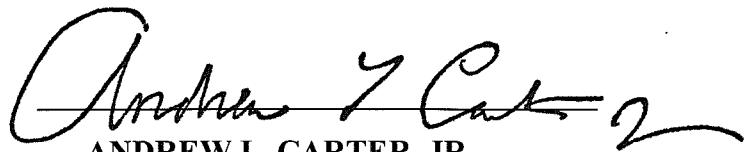
On April 20, 2015, The Export-Import Bank of the Republic of China (“Ex-Im Bank”) submitted a joint status report on behalf of itself and La Société de Patrimoine des Mines du Niger (“SOPAMIN”) on the progress of disclosure between those two parties and Ex-Im Bank’s settlement discussions with the République du Niger (“Niger”). (ECF No. 116.) Parties reported that a preliminary settlement had been reached between Ex-Im Bank and Niger, and requested a stay of the discovery issues pending further settlement discussions between Ex-Im Bank and Niger.

Parties’ application is hereby GRANTED. All pending disclosure issues between Ex-Im Bank and SOPAMIN are stayed pending the resolution of settlement discussions between Ex-Im

Bank and Niger. Ex-Im Bank and SOPAMIN should submit a follow-up joint status report by or on May 20, 2015.

**SO ORDERED.**

**Dated:** April 22, 2015  
New York, New York



ANDREW L. CARTER, JR.  
United States District Judge